

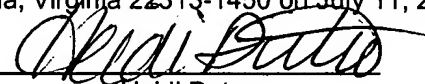
REMARKS

Reconsideration of the final Office action and forwarding of the present application to allowance are respectfully requested in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks. In the final Office action, the examiner has stated that claims 1 and 5-19 are allowed. By this response, applicants have canceled claim 20. All of the claims now present in the application are believed to be allowable.

Applicants submit that the application is in condition for allowance, and forwarding of a notice of allowance is requested. If the examiner has any questions or comments, he is invited to call applicants' undersigned counsel at the number below.


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